

written notice thereof to such resident at the state school. The receipt of the superintendent shall constitute full and complete acquittance for such payment and the person, bank, corporation, or agency making such payment shall not be liable to the resident or his legal representatives. All funds so received by the superintendent shall be duly deposited by him as custodian in the resident's fund to the personal account of such resident.

If any proceeding is brought in any court to recover property so delivered, the attorney general shall defend the same without cost to the person, bank, corporation, or agency effecting such delivery to the superintendent, and the state shall indemnify such person, bank, corporation, or agency against any judgment rendered as a result of such proceeding.

Passed the Senate February 27, 1959.

Passed the House February 26, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 62.

[S. B. 256.]

COURT COSTS IN ACTIONS BY AND AGAINST STATE OR COUNTY.

AN ACT relating to civil procedure; authorizing court costs; and amending section 522, Code of 1881 and RCW 4.84.170.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. Section 522, Code of 1881 and RCW 4.84.170 are each amended to read as follows:

In all actions prosecuted in the name and for the use of the state, or in the name and for the use of any county, and in any action brought against the state or any county, and on all appeals to the supreme

RCW 4.84.170
amended.

Cost against
state or
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court of the state in all actions brought by or against either the state or any county, the state or county shall be liable for costs in the same case and to the same extent as private parties.

Passed the Senate February 17, 1959.

Passed the House February 26, 1959.

Approved by the Governor March 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 63.

[S. B. 34.]

LEASE OF LANDS BY UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.
AN Act relating to parks and recreation.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. The board of regents of the University of Washington is hereby authorized and directed to enter into negotiations with the state parks and recreation commission for the leasing to said commission for park and recreational purposes a certain tract of land located on Whidbey Island described as follows:

Negotiations authorized.

“That portion west of the County road of the West half of Section 29 and that part of the East part of Section 30 from the East section line to the meander line, all in Township 30 North, Range 2 E. W. M.”

Description.

The state parks and recreation commission shall pay reasonable rental to the university for the recreational use of such property.

SEC. 2. The state parks and recreation commission is authorized to develop and maintain general park and recreational facilities upon such tract including necessary access roads. The commission shall build and maintain fire trails and remove debris which is deemed to be a fire hazard. The usage of such tract by the commission shall be such that it shall not in-

Park facilities authorized.